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In re application of: Wirkus, John F.	
Serial No.: 10/723,195	Group No.: 3748
Filed: 11/26/03	Examiner: Nguyen, Tu Minh
For: EXHAUST GAS RECIRCULATION AFTERBURNER	

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TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith is:

☒ An amendment in the above-identified application in response to the Office

Action mailed August 11, 2005;

☐ A Petition For Extension of Time for months.☐ No additional fee is required.

Small Entity Status:

☒ Applicant claims small entity status.☐ Applicant DOES NOT claim small entity status.

The fee has been calculated as shown:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate - Other Than A Small Entity	Rate - Small Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	28 -	36 =	0	\$50.00	\$25.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims	5 -	6 =	0	\$200.00	\$100.00	\$0.00
Total Additional Fee:						\$0.00

☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit overpayment under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account 162201. *Duplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.*


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AMENDMENT C

The Office communication mailed August 11, 2005 has been received, and in response thereto, Applicant hereby amends the above-identified application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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